



**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Atsushi KATO

Group Art Unit: 2852

Application No.: 10/628,496

Examiner: H. Tran

Filed: July 29, 2003

Docket No.: 116700

For: CLEANING MEMBER FOR REMOVING RESIDUAL TONER FROM  
INTERMEDIATE TRANSFER BELT

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the October 20, 2004 Office Action, the period for response being  
effectively extended to March 20, 2005 by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please  
consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**